

SELECTION OF CONSULTANTS BY THE WORLD BANK'S BORROWERS

Notice for the Expression of Interest

BRAZIL

Second Minas Gerais Development Partnership Project

CONSULTING SERVICES

IBRD Loan Agreement No 7547-BR

1. The State Government of Minas Gerais has received a loan from the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD) toward the cost of the Second Minas Gerais Development Partnership Project, and intends to apply part of it to the proceeds for specialized company in developing best practices guide for structuring an Independent Checker for the public-private partnerships in the State of Minas Gerais.
2. The scope of the work is made up of 3 stages:
 - Stage 1. Planning.
 - This consists in a structuring the foundations of the project, establishing guidelines, the work teams and to conduct a seminar to present the work plan and the strategies adopted.
 - Stage 2. Analysis.
 - This consists in a collection and analysis of bidding documents for all public-private partnerships running in the State of Minas Gerais and other states, and the contracts of Independent Checker already held in Brazil, and interviews with key people from Government entities assumed the role of Grantor of the State of Minas Gerais, all companies or consortia of companies that have assumed the role of concessionaires and Independent Verifier.
 - Stage 3. Development.
 - Consists in the actual production of the best practices guide for future hiring of VI, and the final presentation of the material for approval.
3. The State Secretariat for Planning and Management of Minas Gerais – SEDE – invites eligible consulting institutions and/or companies to indicate their interest in providing the services mentioned. The eligible consulting companies should provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (description of similar services performed) together with the Curriculum Vitae of the team (including professional background, experience in similar projects), knowledge in project management using a method based on PMBoK (Project Management Body of Knowledge), study of technical and economic feasibility for investments exceeding R\$ 20.000.000,00 (twenty millions reais) and design technology including analysis information (operational, physical or logical).
4. The company and/or institution will be selected in accordance with the procedures in the World Bank Guidelines for the Selection and Employment of Consultants by

World Bank's Borrowers, published in May 2004 (revised in October 2006 and in May 2010), according to the method of Qualification of the Consultor (QOC).

5. Interested companies and/or institutions may obtain further information at SEDE-MG, through the telephones (55-31) 3915-3032, (55-31) 3915-3033, fax (55-31) 3915-3079 or e-mails lorena.aguiar@ppp.mg.gov.br and thiago.almeida@ppp.mg.gov.br.

Expressions of Interest must be delivered by the 20 day of the month of July of 2010 at 5 PM, c/o PPP Unit of the State Secretariat of Economic Development, located at: Rod. Prefeito Américo Gianetti, s/n – Prédio Minas – 3th floor, Serra Verde. CEP (ZIP CODE): 31630-900.

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